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PART II - REPORT

A. Details of various institutes.

employed in institutes as follows:

German scientists were

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- (a) ELEKTROSTAL, MOSCOW.
- (b) Pose Institute - somewhere near MOSCOW.
- (c) CHELYABINSK Institute.
- (d) ELEKTROSILA, LENINGRAD.
- (e) Institute at KUBYSHEV.

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B. Details of Filter Production factory in KUBISHEV.

[redacted] Prof THIESSEN was engaged on experiments with diaphragms at SINOP. Towards the end of 1948 or beginning of 1949 Prof HERTZ, Dr ZIEHL and Helmut HEPP were sent to the factory in KUBISHEV to arrange for a large scale production of THIESSEN diaphragms. [redacted]

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[redacted] from 1946 to 1949 Prof THIESSEN made numerous visits to MOSCOW where he had conversations with members of the Ninth Chief Directorate and Prof LEIPUNSKIY. [redacted] Prof THIESSEN made one journey to KUBISHEV late 1948.

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[redacted] Prof THIESSEN received several awards ranging in sums between 10 and 20,000 roubles.

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C. Soviet Academy of Sciences.

[redacted] the medical section of the Academy of Sciences controlled the biological section at SINOP. One particular member of the Academy often visited the institute and discussed matters with Dr MENKE. [redacted]

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he was a graduate of the university at GORWICH (?) and had a German sounding name resembling BRANDT. [redacted] LEIPUNSKIY and BLOKHINSEV visited the institute at regular intervals from 1946 onwards and took a considerable interest in the biological section.

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D. Russian scientist who studied at ESSEN and at Great Britain.

[redacted] the scientist visited SINOP at the beginning of 1949 and had long conversations with von ARDENNE. [redacted]

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PART III - Personalities.(a) Russian

LEIPUNSKIY
BLOKHINSEV

(b) German

Prof THIESSEN
Dr MENKE
Herr WINKLER
Dr HOHORST
Prof HERTZ
Dr ZIEHL
Helmut HEPP
von ARDENNE.

PART IV - Annexures.

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